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Art Unit: 1615

Applicants : Hans PETERSEN et al.

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Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Title : CRYSTALLINE BASE OF CITALOPRAM

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THIRD PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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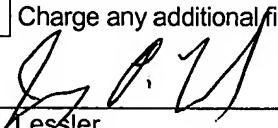
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